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At the time of filing the Response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2008 in the above-referenced application on June 16, 2008, large-entity fees of \$460.00 (two month extension of time) were paid. Payment of the large-entity fees was in error because Applicant and Assignee were entitled to small-entity status. Applicant, therefore, respectfully requests a refund in the amount of \$230.00, representing the amount of the overpayment. Copies of the original Application Data Sheet and Official Filing Receipt indicating Small-Entity status are attached. A statement for the Deposit Account No. 22-0261 indicating that \$460.00 was charged thereto on June 17, 2008 is also enclosed.

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